DECISION MEMORANDUM

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DATE: JANUARY 10, 2014

SUBJECT: AVISTA'S APPLICATION FOR A PRUDENCY DETERMINATION FOR

010-2012 ELECTRIC AND GAS ENERGY EFFICIENCY

EXPENDITURES, CASE NOS. AVU-E-13-09 & AVU-G-13-02

On September 30, 2013, Avista Corporation dba Avista Utilities applied for an Order finding that it prudently incurred \$25,380,857 in electric and natural gas energy efficiency expenditures from January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2012. The Commission subsequently issued a Notice of Application and Modified Procedure that set a February 4, 2014 comment deadline and a February 18, 2014 reply deadline. *See* Order No. 32921.

Commission Staff needs additional time to review this matter before filing comments. It thus asks the Commission to extend the comment and reply deadlines respectively to March 6 and March 20, 2014. Avista has advised Staff that it concurs with this request. The case has no other parties.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to extend the comment and reply deadlines respectively to March 6 and March 20, 2014?

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